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- 1. Prince SUNG is believed to have been killed by the Chinese Communists. SUNG, head of Silingol League, was placed on trial by the Communists in a public meeting by the natives of his home banner. The Communists recommended that SUNG be executed and asked for a vote from the natives. A small group of the natives stated publicly that SUNG had been a good man and that he should not be executed. Shortly thereafter, these persons were arrested and another meeting was held at which time none of the persons present dared to oppose the Communists in their plans to execute Prince SUNG.
- 2. Approximately 1,000 troops under the command of Sanjiehjab are hidden in the mountains between West Usumchin and Keshikten (Ching-peng) Banners. no guns.
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Comment. It is probable that Sanjiehjab is a common romanization for reporting the death of Sanjaijap in Chalantum by the

- 3. About 800 lamas in the Lama Temple in West Usumchin Banner have consistently opposed the Chinese Communists and claim they will fight them with their bara hands if necessary, since Communist policy is to break up lama temples.
- 4. The Chinese Communists have captured a large number of Japanese in the mountains east of Lintung.
- 5. It is rumored that the Communists intend to complete the conquest of both East and West Usumchin Banners by August. There are the only banners still unconquered in that area. About 100 families in West Usumchin are preparing to flee or have already left.

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